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COUPLED RECEPTOR PROTEINS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed September 6, 2002, applicants elect the invention of Group 1 (claims 1 to 7, 30, and 31), drawn to a polypeptide. The election is made without traverse.

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